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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 15,

Line 57, delete "changing, slopes" and insert -- changing slopes --.

Column 16,

Line 20, delete "refractive, index" and insert -- refractive index --.

Signed and Sealed this

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A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Jon W. Dudas". The signature is stylized, with a large, looped initial "J" and a distinct "D" for "Dudas".

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